



Request for Proposal (RFP)

Northern Tier Interoperability Project (NTIP)

Digital Microwave System

Amendment # 1

November 4, 2005

Glacier County
512 East Main
Cutbank, MT 59427-3016

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SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

The following schedule of events indicates the dates and times of key events and deadlines associated with this RFP. These dates and times are estimates only and may change based on unforeseen events or circumstances to best meet the needs of the County. Estimated dates are provided to demonstrate the expected procurement timeline and indicate important deadlines for vendor activities. All times are Mountain Standard Times.

ACTIVITY	DATES	TIME
RFP Publication Date	October 14 th , 2005	
Deadline for Final Questions	October 28 th , 2005	5:00 pm
RFP Closing Date (Proposals Due)	November 16 th , 2005	5:00 pm
Bid Opening	November 17 th , 2005	9:00 am
Initial Proposal Evaluations begin	November 21 st , 2005	10:00 am
Announcement of Apparent Successful Bidder	December 1 st , 2005	9:00 am
Contract Negotiations With Successful Vendor	December 2 nd , 2005	
Project Start-up	December 19 th , 2005	

PROPOSAL SUBMISSION

One (1) original and seven (7) printed copies and one (1) electronic copy of the bidder's management and technical proposal and associated cost proposal must be submitted no later than the RFP closing date indicated in the schedule of events in *Section I: Schedule of Events*. The one (1) original copy of the bidder's management and technical proposal must be submitted to the following address:

Sheriff Wayne Dusterhoff
Glacier County
512 East Main
Cutbank, MT 59427-3016
406.873.2711 (Phone)
406.873.2125 (Fax)
email: sheriff@co.glacier.mt.us



The seven (7) printed copies and one (1) electronic copy of the bidder's management and technical proposal must be submitted to the following address:

Mark E. Adams
RFP Coordinator
Northrop Grumman
2401 Colonial Drive
Helena, MT 59601
406.443.8694 (Phone)
406.449.8601 (Fax)
email: Mark.E.Adams@ngc.com

The original of the proposal shall be submitted in a separate envelope or wrapper from the copies. The original will be used at the bid opening. The copies may be boxed or packaged together. Both the original and the copies shall be clearly labeled **NTIC Microwave Bid**. Proposals received after the stated time will be retained, unopened, and will not receive consideration.